

Colour Reading Level	Sounds / Words included	
<i>Lilac</i>	No sounds	
<i>Pink</i>	Phase 2 Set 1 – s, a, t, p	
	Phase 2 Set 2 – i, n, m, d.	l, the, no
	Phase 2 Set 3 – g, o, c, k	
	Phase 2 Set 4 – ck, e, u, r	
	Phase 2 Set 5 – no books	
	Phase 2 Set 6 – h, b, f, l, ff, ll, ss	
<i>Red</i>	Phase 3 Set 1 – j, v, w, x	
	Phase 3 Set 2 – y, e, ee, qu	
	Phase 3 Set 3 – ch, sh, th, ng, nk	
	Phase 3 Set 4 – ai, ee, igh, oa	
	Phase 3 Set 5 – no books	
	Phase 3 Set 6 – no new sounds	my, you
<i>Yellow</i>	Phase 3 Set 1 – oo (book)	
	Phase 3 Set 2 – ar, ur, or, oo (food)	
	Phase 3-4 Set 3 – ow, oi, ear, air	
	Phase 3-4 Set 4 – ure, er, ow	ball, tall
	Phase 3-4 Set 5 – no books	
	Phase 3-4 Set 6 – no new sounds	
<i>Blue</i>	Phase 3-4 Set 1	said, so, have
	Phase 3-4 Set 2	were, out, like
	Phase 3-4 Set 3	some, come, there
	Phase 3-4 Set 4	little, one, do
	Phase 3-4 Set 5	children, love
	Phase 3-4 Set 6 – no new sounds	
<i>Green</i>	Phase 5 Set 1 – ay, ou, ie, ea,	oh, their
	Phase 5 Set 1+ - Alternative pronunciations	HFWs: old, don't, called, could, looked
	Phase 5 Set 2 – oy, ir, ue, aw	People, Mr., Mrs.
	Phase 5 Set 3 – no books	
	Phase 5 Set 4 & 5 – wh, ph, ew, oe, ey, a-e, e-e, i-e, o-e, u-e	Mr., asked
	Phase 5 Set 5 -no books	
	Phase 5 Set 6 – i-e, o-e, u-e, c (soft)	want, very
Phase 5 Set 7	want, very	
<i>Orange</i>	Phase 5 Set 1 – alternative spellings and pronunciations	
	Phase 5 Set 1+ - alternative spellings and pronunciations	
	Phase 5 Set 2 – alternative GPCs: ch/tch, j/g, dge, n/kn, s/c, z/se, u/o, i/y, ear/eer, ere, o/a	
	Phase 5 Set 2+ - alternative spellings and pronunciations	
	Phase 5 Set 3 – alternative spellings – ar, air, or, ur, oo, ai, ee, igh, os, (y)oo, oo, sh	
	Phase 5 Set 3+ - alternative GPCs - ch/tch, j/g, dge, n/kn, s/c, z/se, u/o, i/y, ear/eer, ere, o/a	
<i>Turquoise</i>	End of phonics scheme books	
<i>Purple</i>		
<i>Gold</i>		
<i>White</i>		
<i>Lime</i>		
<i>Copper / Free Reader</i>		